REMARKS

Claims 1 - 11 are pending. Claims 12 - 26 have been cancelled, without prejudice. Claims 1 - 7 and 9 - 11 have been amended for form. No new matter is added.

In response to the June 7, 2005 Restriction Requirement, applicants elect, without traverse, for continued prosecution the Group I claims (claims 1 - 11), drawn to a method and an apparatus for a remote control system.

The applicant requests a <u>change of inventorship</u> of this application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(b) to delete Masaya Kano from the above-identified application as his invention contribution is no longer being claimed with the cancellation of claims 12 - 26, leaving Takanori Shimizu as the sole inventor of claims 1 - 11. The attorney is an authorized representative of the applicants under 37 C.F.R. 1.33(b). The Examiner is authorized to charge the applicants the fee required under C.F.R. § 1.17(i) from the deposit account 16-1805.

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An action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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